09/21/2015

Incident: Multiple Stabbing Victims

Location: 2000 Block of Cameron St. (Harry Lyon Park)

Date/Time Occurred: 09/20/15 @ 4:04pm

Officer(s) Involved: Ventura PD Patrol, Ventura City Fire

Victim(s): Adult Male, 19 years (Name withheld) Adult Male, 38 years (Name withheld)

Suspect(s): Adult Male, 19 years, Ventura Resident Report #: 15-12889

Narrative: On the above date and time, the Ventura Police Department Command Center received numerous 911 calls of a physical fight, with individuals being stabbed, at a baseball game in Harry A. Lyon Park in the 2000 block of Cameron St. Patrol officers, along with Ventura City Fire and AMR personnel, responded to the call and initially found two stabbing victims at the park.

The victims were a 19-year-old male suffering from several life threatening injuries and a 38-year-old male suffering from serious injuries both to their upper torso. A third stabbing victim, identified as a 21-year-old male, was found a short distance away in front of Deanza School. He was also found to be suffering from several life threatening stab wounds.

All three individuals were transported to VCMC for treatment of their injuries and are currently listed in serious to critical condition. A 19-year-old male was located several blocks away by responding officers and ultimately taken into custody as being involved in the stabbings. The third individual found stabbed in front of the school has been identified as a possible suspect in the stabbing. Due to the serious nature of this incident and because of the active investigation, no names are being released at this time. Ventura Police Department Major Crimes Detectives have been called out and are conducting interviews. There is no additional information at this time. An additional press release will be sent out when the information is available. Anyone with information about this crime, or possibly has cell phone footage of the incident, is asked to contact Detective Corporal Casey Sutherland at (805) 339-4467. If you have any information about this crime, you can make an anonymous call to Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS.

UPDATED INFORMATION

Suspects: #1 Isaac Lopez, 19 years, Ventura Resident #2 Jesus Galvan, 21 years, Ventura Resident

The Ventura Police Department Detectives continued their investigation into this crime and have arrested Isaac Lopez, identifying him as the primary suspect. He has been booked into the Ventura County Jail for attempted murder and a gang enhancement.

After the incident the second suspect, Jesus Galvan, was admitted into Ventura County Medical Center for treatment of his injuries. He is currently receiving treatment, but has been arrested and once he is medically cleared from the hospital, he will be booked into the Ventura County Jail for the same charges of attempted murder and a gang enhancement.

Both of the victims are stable and are still in the hospital recovering from their injuries. The names of the victims are not being released at this time.

The incident remains under investigation. Anyone with information is asked to contact Detective Corporal Casey Sutherland at 339-4467.